



General Assembly

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Amendment

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Offered by:

SEN. DELUCA, 32nd Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 5647

File No. 467

Cal. No. 298

**"AN ACT CONCERNING NOTICE OF MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
INSURANCE FILINGS."**

1 After line 66, add the following:

2 "Sec. 2. Subsection (f) of section 38a-493 of the general statutes is
3 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
4 *1, 2002*):

5 (f) Home health care benefits may be subject to an annual deductible
6 of not more than fifty dollars for each person covered under a policy
7 and may be subject to a coinsurance provision which provides for
8 coverage of not less than seventy-five per cent of the reasonable
9 charges for such services. Such policy may also contain reasonable
10 limitations and exclusions applicable to home health care coverage. A
11 "high deductible health plan", as defined in Section 220(c)(2) of the
12 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding
13 internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time
14 amended, used to establish a "medical savings account" pursuant to

15 Section 220 of said Internal Revenue Code, shall not be subject to the
16 deductible limits set forth in this subsection.

17 Sec. 3. Subsection (f) of section 38a-520 of the general statutes is
18 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
19 *1, 2002*):

20 (f) Home health care benefits may be subject to an annual deductible
21 of not more than fifty dollars for each person covered under a policy
22 and may be subject to a coinsurance provision which provides for
23 coverage of not less than seventy-five per cent of the reasonable
24 charges for such services. Such policy may also contain reasonable
25 limitations and exclusions applicable to home health care coverage. A
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28 internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time
29 amended, used to establish a "medical savings account" pursuant to
30 Section 220 of said Internal Revenue Code, shall not be subject to the
31 deductible limits set forth in this subsection."